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CENTRAL FAX CENTER****SEP 14 2006****CLAIMS**

1. (previously presented) A soap holding device comprising:
a retaining ring to retain a cake of custom shaped soap within a bottom seat;
a peel off adhesive disc located underneath said bottom seat;
said adhesive disc being pre-glued underneath said bottom seat;
releasably connecting means to releasably attach said retaining ring to said bottom seat.
2. (canceled) A soap holding device as in claim 1 wherein:
said releasably connecting means being in the shape of notches and complementary notches.
3. (previously presented) A soap holding device as in claim 1 wherein:
gateways are disposed around the periphery of said retaining ring to evacuate liquids;
4. (canceled) A soap holding device as in claim 1 wherein:
a narrowing periphery for funneling in onto said complementary notches of said bottom part.
5. (currently amended) A method of replacement of a cake of custom shaped soap from a soap holding device comprising the steps of:
removing a retaining ring from a bottom seat by turning said retaining ring so as to

disengage notches on said retaining ring from complementary notches on said bottom seat;

removing a cake of custom soap and replacing it by another cake of custom soap;

reinserting said retaining ring onto said bottom part.

6. (canceled)